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1. Coal consumption (in metric tons):

Type of Locomotive	Hard Coal	Brown Coal Briquettes	Coal	Total in Terms of Briquette Units
Standard-gauge locomotives	439 799	16 832 (11 067 kst)	856	687 941
Narrow-gauge locomotives	6 802	628		10 832
Column locomotives within East Germany	3 209	37	3	4 850
Total	449 810	17 497 (11 067 Kst)	861	703 623 1
Column locomotives for transit traffic through Poland	23 517			35 276 2

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## 2. Consumption of lubricants;

Standard-gauge locomotives	376 404 kg	
Narrow-gauge "	9 029 kg	
Column "	16 915 kg	
Total	402 348 kg	3

Breakdown of lubricants according to type:

Mineral oil	318 584 kg	
Superheated steam oil	57 215 kg	
Saturated steam oil	17 858 kg	
Compressor oil	8 691 kg	
Total	402 348 kg	4

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1. [REDACTED] Comment. Total coal consumption again increased. As compared with October 1953, this increase amounted to about 40,000 tons, which is probably due to higher requirements during peak traffic in fall and during the cold season.

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2. [REDACTED] Comment. As compared with October, total consumption increased by about 50 percent probably as a result of heavy Soviet transit traffic through Poland in both directions.

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3. [REDACTED] Comment. The total consumption of lubricants remained about constant.

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